

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 26 with the following new paragraph:

[00026] A better understanding of the present invention as well as other objects and advantages thereof will become apparent upon consideration of the following detailed description especially when taken with the accompanying drawings, wherein like numerals designate like parts throughout, and wherein:

Figure 1 is an exploded view of a prior art electrotransport device;

Figure 2 is a perspective view of the flexible conductive element;

Figure 3 is a sectional view of a specific implementation of the invention; and

Figure 4 is a sectional view of an embodiment similar to that shown in Fig. 3, but which also includes a circuit board; and

Figure 5 is a sectional view of an embodiment similar to that shown in Fig. 4, but also includes ~~a second set of the elements shown in Fig. 4, a power source 150, and~~ an active agent reservoir **160** containing an active agent **165**, ~~and an electrolyte reservoir containing a biocompatible electrolyte solution.~~

Please amend the following paragraph, which was added to the specification after paragraph 31:

Figure 5 shows a device having ~~two flexible conductors~~ conductor 100 ~~and 100'~~. Active agent reservoir **160** containing active agent **165** is in contact with electrode coating **104** of electrode end **103** of the ~~first~~ flexible conductor **100**. ~~Electrolyte reservoir 170 containing a biocompatible electrolyte solution 175 is in contact with electrode coating 104' of electrode end 103' of the second flexible conductor 100'.~~

Please replace paragraph 33 with the following new paragraph:

[0033] After Connection Portion **102** has been deformed and Flexible Conductor **100** has been bent back on itself, Contact End **107** is now positioned with Contact Coating **108** facing away from Reservoir Housing **120**. Typically, Contact Coating **108** is placed in electrical communication with an electrical Contact Pad **135** located on Circuit Board **130**, as shown in **Fig. 4**. However, Contact Coating **108** may be placed in contact with any of a number of standard electrical connections means well known in the industry. The electrical

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contact pads pad 135 and ~~135'~~ are is in electrical communication with the power source **150** shown in Fig. 5.